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All of the items noted below and a newly executed oath or declaration covering the items must be submitted within **TWO MONTHS** of the date of this Notice, unless otherwise indicated, or proceedings on the application will be terminated (37 CFR 1.53(e)). Replies should be mailed to: Mail Stop Missing Parts, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria VA 22313-1450.

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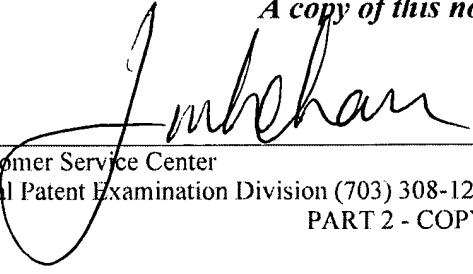
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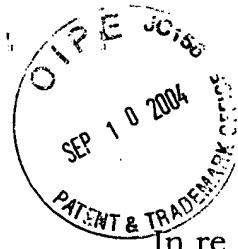
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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Responsive to the NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION, Applicant responds as follows:

With respect to the allegedly missing drawings, Applicant has submitted a petition requesting the original filing date based on Applicant's postcard indicating the USPTO's receipt of the drawings. The petition contains a replacement copy of Applicant's drawings that have become lost.

Enclosed is a substitute specification as required by the NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION. The two typographical error corrections made by hand, namely insertion of an "i" at Pg. 24 line 24 to change "sad" to "said" and a slash at the first line of Pg. 25 to indicate separation of "isinserted" that were in the originally filed application are incorporated into this substitute specification. No new matter is introduced by the substitute specification.

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